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No. , 1918.

A BILL

To amend an Act passed in the eighth year of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for lighting with gas the town of Sydney, in the Colony of New South Wales, and to enable certain persons associated under the name, style, and firm of 'The Australian Gas-light Company,' to sue and be sued in the name of the secretary for the time being of the said company, and for other purposes therein mentioned"; and to amend an Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to enable the Australian Gas-light Company to extend their works to places beyond the boundaries and limits of the City of Sydney, and to increase their Capital Stock."

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as "The Australian Gas-light Company's Amending Act, 1918." Short title.

2. Section fifty-three of the abovementioned Act passed in the eighth year of His late Majesty King William the Fourth is amended by inserting after the words "the said surveyor of the town of Sydney" the words "or other person or persons having the control of such pavements or ground." Amendment of s. 53 of the Act passed in the eighth year of Wm. IV.

3. Section five of the abovementioned Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria is amended as follows:— Amendment of s. 5, Act 22 Vic.

(i) The words "fifty-three, fifty-five, fifty-six" are inserted between the words "fifty-two" and "fifty-seven"; and

(ii) the words "sixty, sixty-one, sixty-two, sixty-three, sixty-four" are inserted between the words "fifty-nine" and "sixty-five."

4. This Act shall in no way affect the provisions of any Act passed subsequently to the abovementioned Act passed in the twenty-second year of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria. Saving.